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Applicant: C. Constantinides

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For: MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed May 15, 2007. Applicants kindly ask that the above-identified application be amended prior to examination as set forth herein.

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.**

**Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.**